SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 738 By Kyle

A RESOLUTION to recognize Ms. Minh Chau Pham, 2000 Valedictorian of Treadwell High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those persons who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Minh Chau Pham is one such exceptional student who recently was named valedictorian of the 2000 graduating class at Treadwell High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study and unyielding commitment of time and talent, Ms.

Pham has achieved outstanding academic success, and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students of Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Minh Chau has earned an exemplary 4.307 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, Minh Chau Pham has demonstrated great skills by virtue of her membership in the Ecology Club, SECME, HOSA, BPA, DECA and the National Honor Society; and

WHEREAS, Minh's superior record of academic achievement includes being on the Principal's List during her four years at Treadwell, her receipt of the English Award, the Math Award, the Latin I and II Awards, the Citizenship Award, the BPA Competition Award, the William H. Sweet Award, the Economics Award, the Government Award, and others too numerous to mention; she was also listed in *Who's Who Among American High School Students*; and

WHEREAS, Minh Chau Pham's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as she embarks on a career in medicine; and

WHEREAS, her noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Dao Ha and Van Pham, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Minh's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, That we hereby honor 2000 Treadwell High School Valedictorian, Ms. Minh Chau Pham, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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